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of 16 pages has made some sort of history for Orange county. Search through the files of this newspaper and of others printed in the county has failed to disclose another edition that has gone in for comparable quantity. There is written and spoken record of a 10 page paper having been issued in the county. It has broken one newspaper record in Orange county. Speaking of quantity, you readers might as well be told now that it also took a quantity of work and a quantity of folks working at the job to manufacture this

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16 Pages This Week

Chapel Hill's Modern Dairy Cooperative Is Opened For Services

Bible Classes Fund Raised By Churches

The churches of Orange county contributing to the teaching of Bible in Hillsboro, Caldwell, Aycock, and Efland schools have to date contributed the following amounts: Union Grove Methodist, \$2.00; Little River Presbyterian, \$114.00; Myrtle Lodge No. 111, Knights of Pythias, \$14.00; Cedar Grove Methodist, \$150.00; Fairfield Presbyterian, \$40.00; Hillsboro Baptist, \$8.65; Eno Presbyterian, \$50.00; Sand Presbyterian, \$25.00; St. Matthew's Episcopal, \$64.00; Mt. Airy Baptist, \$38.00; Hillsboro Methodist, \$50.00; Mars Hill Baptist, \$101.40; Hillsboro Presbyterian, \$77.50; Walnut Grove Methodist, \$82.80; New Hope Presbyterian, \$50.00; Carr Methodist, \$1.00; Miss Judie Pope, Cedar Grove, \$1.00; total \$943.35. Each church contributes an amount equal to 60 cents per church member for the nine month school term 1945-46.

Barbecue Held For Hillsboro Fire Fighters

The Hillsboro fire department is treated to a barbecue April 10 local business and professional men. There were between 75 and 100 in attendance at the feed, which was given in Gilmore's garage. Plans had been made to hold a supper at Dr. Roberts' Cabin, but rain caused an alteration of the original plan. The barbecue was given as a token of the appreciation felt by local folks for the fine work the department has done. Each of the sponsors contributed \$5, and \$250 remained to be given to the fire department after all the expenses the supper had been paid. Short speeches of thanks were made by R. O. Forrest, local grocer, who was chairman of the fund raising efforts and S. Strudwick, fire postmaster. Fire Chief Gilmore thanked the sponsors for the upper and contribution.

EARLY EASTER SERVICE

An early morning service will be held at the Methodist church Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. This is not a sunrise service but rather service of "Early Prayers." Everyone is cordially invited to attend this service.

Boys And Girls Week Is Planned By Hill Rotary

The Chapel Hill Rotary Club in regular weekly meeting discussed plans for the Rotary sponsored "Boys and Girls Week" that will begin next Wednesday night when the Rotary Club dedicated a gift, a skating rink, at the local school grounds. The opening festivities will include a barbecue and brunswick which will be held on the pool grounds. Special guests of the Rotary will include School Superintendent Davis, trustees of the school and senior class members. Skating exhibition will be given in addition to the supper. Saturday, April 27, is to be field day. Boy Scouts will place banners around town publicizing Boys and Girls Week. Sunday, the 28th, will be Boys and Girls church day. Rotarian Alley Barnett, pastor of the Baptist Church will use the 11 o'clock service for observance of the occasion. A girls glee club will sing and boys and girls will serve as ushers. Monday, the 29th, will feature special observance by the "21" club, a branch of the Rotary of which Bob Madry is chairman. Tuesday, the 30th, is to be "Teen-Ween" day. Observances for this day will include a general school assembly at 9 a.m. when students will hear a talk on health education. From noon until 1 p.m. boys and girls will take over all

The Farmers' Dairy Cooperative, which begins operation this week, is a fine example of the forward steps taken in recent years in industrial architecture. The building is not only designed for utmost efficiency and sanitation in the handling of its product, but it is also designed to blend perfectly with the architectural style prevailing in its home—Chapel Hill. Another trend in the direction of progress is the time and expense that have been devoted to the comfort and well being of both employees and customers of the new plant.

In the new milk processing plant every room in which the actual processing of milk is carried on has tile floors on walls. This makes for the maximum cleanliness with the minimum trouble, since the tile is easy to sterilize and keep clean.

The retail salesroom is done in knotty pine with furnishings all made from the same material. There are tiled toilets for the public and separate toilets and showers for employees.

A complete laboratory for the testing of all milk handled in the plant is conveniently located near the milk receiving room. All milk is checked for bacteria count and butterfat content. This laboratory is under the direction of Colleen Abernathy. Miss Abernathy is a Lenoir-Rhyne graduate with pre-medical degree. She majored in chemistry and biology. Before coming to Chapel Hill she worked in the laboratories of the Tennessee Eastman corporation. Miss Abernathy has also done graduate work in the University of North Carolina school of public health.

Manager of the cooperative is George B. Cline, State College graduate with a degree in dairy manufacture, has had 11 years experience with the Winston-Salem health department and for three and a half years was manager of the Farmers' Cooperative Dairy in Winston-Salem.

W. C. Hancock, who was with the Biltmore Dairies in Charlotte for 11 years before coming to Chapel Hill, is manager of production.

E. C. Tankersly, now on terminal leave after serving four years with the army air force, is office manager of the plant.

Stanley E. Combs, graduate of Kansas State College where he majored in dairy manufacture, is foreman of the modern milk processing plant.

Row Strowd, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Strowd of Chapel Hill, will become sales manager of the cooperative, upon graduation from UNC school of commerce in June. Route salesmen are John H. Sturdivant, Robert L. Bowden and Henry C. Dollar all ex-service men of Chapel Hill. James Atwater of Carboro, ex-service man and former janitor of the university medical building is janitor of the new plant.

official jobs in the Chapel Hill government. Boys and girls will be selected for all the various city jobs including that of mayor, fire chief, police chief, aldermen, city clerk and city manager.

After the hour of boy and girl government, a parade will be staged with decorated cars representing various businesses of Chapel Hill. Prizes will be given for the best decorated cars in the parade.

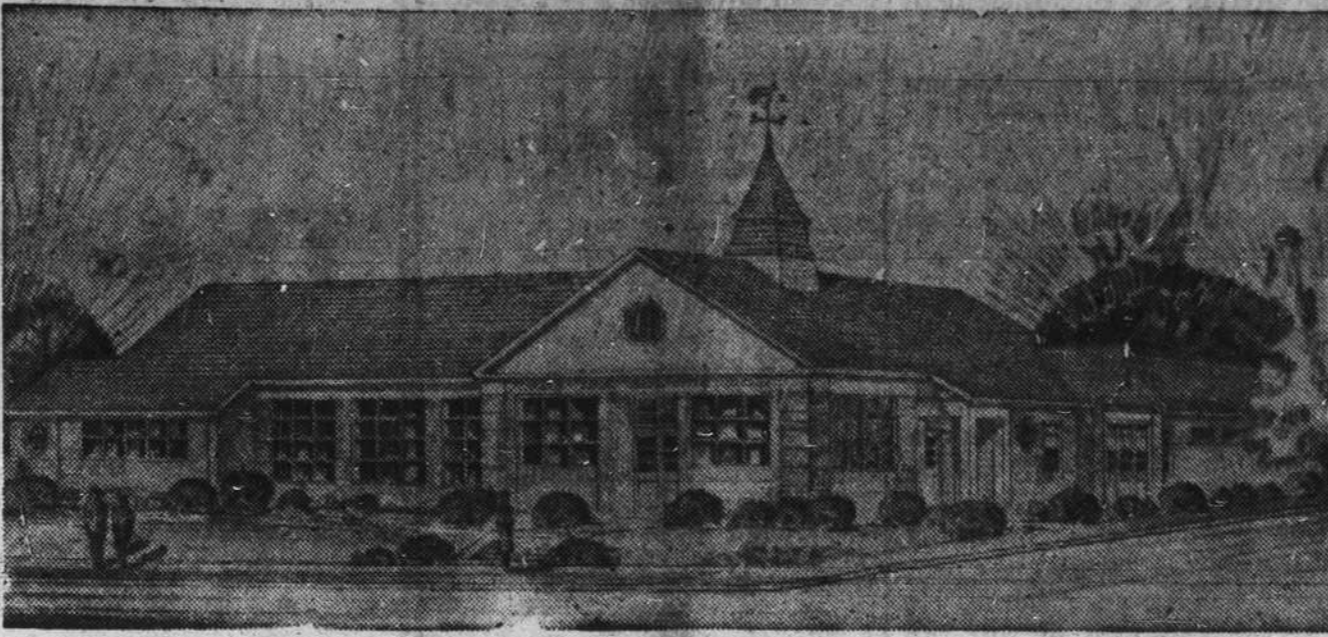
Also on Tuesday prizes will be awarded students for essays written on three subjects: A Better Town, Health, and Citizenship.

The national slogan for the "Boys and Girls" week is "Build for tomorrow with the youth of today."

Ray Ritchie is chairman of the committee in charge of this week of observances, and he will be in charge of the program for the entire week.

In the realm of regular business, the committee appointed by President Vic Huggins for the selection of officers for the coming year made its report, but names of those chosen were not available at the time the NEWS went to press.

Chapel Hill Rotarians are re-organizing that May 1 is charter night for the local club and arrangements are urged to attend as a special program is being prepared.



This is a view from West Franklin Street in Chapel Hill of the new Farmers' Dairy Cooperative which began operation this week. The building is constructed in the colonial architectural style of the community and is equipped with the latest machinery for the scientific handling of milk products.

Road Outlook Seems Dark Says Durham

Rep. Carl T. Durham of this congressional district met with State Highway Commission Chairman, A. H. Graham and State Superintendent of Schools Clyde Erwin before the Civil Production Administration in Washington last week with the plea for additional machinery for the state's rural road improvement program.

These three North Carolinians asked the CPA for more machinery from the federal government, and Mr. Durham stated that the rural roads may be even worse next winter if machinery is not made available soon. He said that the state has not been getting its share of machinery and needs at least 75 replacements for worn out motor graders in addition to other equipment.

Mr. Durham said the states are being shoved aside "in the priority rush" by veterans who want to get back into business. He said in cases where equal priority ratings are given the veterans usually win the machinery "while the roads await repair by the worn out equipment."

After the conference, Rep. Durham declared that "prospects for better priority look bad."

Schley Grange Welcomes Vets April Meeting

At the April meeting of Schley Grange last week two returned service men, R. L. Mohler and E. R. Dowdy, were welcomed back into membership.

Main features of the meeting were talks by these two agricultural leaders. Mr. Mohler promised to report at the next meeting his observations of farm practices as he saw them in other countries while he was in the service.

The new officers of Schley Grange occupied their respective places for the first time at this meeting. These officers were installed at a previous meeting by A. K. McAdams and Ben Wilson.

The officers are as follows: Master, Harry Woods; overseer, Marvin Phelps; secretary, Mrs. Claiborne Wilkerson; treasurer, G. O. Reitzel; lecturer, Mrs. Harry Woods; chaplain, J. E. Latta; steward, Fred Reitzel; assistant steward, Claiborne Wilkerson; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Fred Reitzel; gatekeeper, R. Sigmund; the graces, Mrs. J. E. Latta, Mary Miller and Mrs. Jack Mincey.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by the master and his wife. The next meeting will be held May 14 at 8 o'clock.

Two Found Running Still

Bill Stanley, white, and Hub Albright, Negro, both of New Hope township, were caught operating a whiskey still this week in the vicinity of University. Both men are bound over to the June term of Superior court under \$500 bond.

Authorities state that Stanley is already under a \$500 bond for the same offense in December of last year.

The still, of approximately 40-gallon capacity, was destroyed by the officials making the raid.

Only Three Contests Offered Voters This Democratic Primary

The Democratic primary scheduled for May 25 offers only three contests to Orange county voters. This news was released by R. O. Forrest, chairman of the county board of elections. Saturday, April 13, was the closing date for filing of candidates in the May election.

One three-way choice is offered to the voters in the race for United States representative from the sixth congressional district. Incumbent Carl Durham of Chapel Hill is being opposed by Judge Earl Rives of Greensboro and D. E. Scarborough, also of Greensboro.

Sheriff Sam Latta is opposed by Highway Patrolman Bob Thomas of Carboro. George W. Hunt and Martin Terrell are both running for the vacant post of constable to Hillsboro township.

The unopposed incumbents for the remaining offices on the May ticket are James Webb, state senator; G. G. Bivins, county treasurer; John W. Umstead Jr., state house of representatives; Edwin M. Lynch, clerk of superior court; H. J. Walker, coroner; J. E. Laws, register of deeds; and Ben F. Wilson, H. G. Laws and Collier Cobb Jr. for county commissioners.

Six of the office seekers will have competition in the November general election. The Republican convention nominated the following men for the general election: Max C. Weaver for clerk of court; J. R. Evans for the state house of representatives; Luther T. Parker for sheriff; and D. L. McBane, S. C. Hundley and H. H. Brown for county commissioners.

Mayor Bob Madry of Chapel Hill, who was rumored for some time to be on the brink of contesting Jim Webb's race for the state senate, told the NEWS, "I greatly appreciate the many offers of support that have come to me from all parts of the county, and I wish to take this means to thank my friends for their interest, for which I am deeply grateful." Madry indicated that he might throw his derby in the ring two years from now when the next legislature is voted on.

Hill High Is Winner First Game Of Year

Chapel Hill.—Bad weather interfered with high school baseball here this week, Coach Cecil Longest reports. The second game of the season was rained out Friday and will be played at a later date.

The crack pitching of Stanley Johnson against Roxboro high school gave the Chapel Hill team a victory in its first game of the season 10 to 6. Johnson struck out 13 men in the first seven innings, with runs scored against three, two runs earned.

Longest announced the scheduled games with the following high school teams: April 16—Siler City—here. April 19—Graham—here. April 23—Braggton—here. April 26—Roxboro—here. April 30—Sanford—here. May 3—Methodist Orphanage—here. May 14—Siler City—here. May 17—Braggton—here. May 21—Graham—here. May 24—Methodist Orphanage—here.

Several Cases Handled This Week By Jones

The following cases were disposed of in magistrate's court this week by Justice of Peace Cicero Jones:

Jesse Pratt of Hillsboro, public drunkenness, 30 days in jail; Alvin Forrest of Hillsboro, drunk and disorderly, \$3 and costs; Charlie Whitted and Frank Wells, both of Hillsboro, drunk and disorderly, \$5 and costs; J. W. Martin of Durham, driving while drunk, \$100 bond to Superior court; Fred Ray of Hillsboro, disorderly conduct, \$3 and costs; Robert Long of Mebane, larceny, bound over to Superior court under \$100 bond; Wellar Smith of Hillsboro, illegal possession and transportation of whiskey, \$100 bond to Superior court and car placed under \$200 bond.

Bill Stanley and Hubert Albright were held under \$500 bond for the manufacture and possession of whiskey.

Precincts Hold Meetings Next Saturday PM

Democratic precinct meetings for the election of delegates to the county convention will be held at all polling places in Orange county at 3 p.m. Saturday, April 20.

Plans will also be made for the improvement of the various precinct organizations at the same time.

The county convention will be held at the Court House in Hillsboro on Saturday, April 27, at 3 p.m.

A. H. Graham, chairman of the Democratic executive committee, urges all democrats in the county to attend these meetings.

N. C. SYMPHONY TO GIVE FREE CONCERT FOR ORANGE COUNTY SCHOOL CHILDREN

The North Carolina Symphony Orchestra will give a concert in Memorial Hall of the University of North Carolina, Monday afternoon, April 22, at 2:30. This concert is being given specifically for all the school children of Orange county, who are to be admitted free of charge.

Another concert will be given that night at 8:30 for adults.

THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Rev. R. C. Masterton, Episcopal minister of Hillsboro, who served as chairman of the recent Red Cross drive, has asked the NEWS to extend the thanks of the Red Cross and himself and other members of the fund-raising committee for the generous cooperation of the citizens of Hillsboro that made possible the quota-breaking drive just ended.

Complete List Of Election Officials Now

Registration books for the May 25 Democratic primary will open on April 27, Chairman Forrest of the county board of elections announced this week.

Forrest also reminds all veterans who voted with the absentee ballot during their service in the armed forces that they must re-register in order to be able to vote in the May election. The absentee registration is only good for absentee voting.

Below is a list of the registrars and pollholders who will serve in the coming election.

Hillsboro precinct: Seth Thomas, John Clayton, Arthur Crabtree; Chapel Hill precinct (north): D. P. Rudisill, Paul Robertson, Mrs. John T. Crawford; Chapel Hill precinct (south): Rev. R. L. Bolton, E. W. Neville, W. E. Lindsay; Efland precinct: Edgar Mayes, Tom Crutchfield, Julian Brown.

Cheeks Crossing precinct: Julian S. Gill, Henry Heath, E. L. Cheek; Rock Springs precinct: T. M. Snipes, T. D. Lloyd, A. G. Crawford Jr.; White Cross precinct, J. F. Whitfield, Wallace Copeland, Ed Ivey; Carboro precinct: Dwight Ray, Lemuel Cheek, Buck Sparrow; Cole's Store precinct: Mrs. Mitchell Lloyd, Luther Sharpe, L. M. Riley.

Patterson precinct: J. R. Whitfield, L. A. Hogan, Ira Sparrow; University precinct: W. R. Link, W. P. Andrews, C. W. Sparrow; St. Mary's precinct: C. W. Merritt, J. W. Walker, Mickey Hill; Caldwell precinct: C. Y. Blalock, W. O. Mincey, Richard Gates; Tolar's precinct: Miss Eva Laws, Mrs. Hatfield Slack, Mrs. W. P. Riley; Cedar Grove precinct: T. L. Oliver, R. E. Hughes, John Finley; Carr precinct: E. C. Compton, R. E. Ward, Clarence Cates.

Lions Listen To War Talks, Fishing Tales

The Hillsboro Lions Club held its first April meeting last Thursday at noon in the Masonic Hall. E. C. Limer, president of the local club, presided.

John Ballard introduced the principal speaker of the meeting, Capt. W. H. Rittenhouse. Rittenhouse is a former army chaplain from Miami, Fla. The speaker told of his service in the European theater of operations where he was chaplain in the London area, Rittenhouse and his two sons have recently moved to Oconeechee farm, which they have purchased.

Capt. Rittenhouse and his sons all attend the University of North Carolina, all three are majoring in theology. Capt. Rittenhouse is working for his Ph.D.

Rev. Charles S. Hubbard, Hillsboro Baptist minister, who recently returned from a fishing trip to Florida, was called upon for a few remarks about his trip. It was reported that the consensus of opinion on fish stories was not altered any by the tales of Hubbard.

FARM WORKING VETS ELIGIBLE FOR G I BILL

Elmer R. Dowdy, vocation agriculture teacher at Hillsboro high school, announces that all Orange county veterans who now work on farms, own farms or intend to work on farms in the future are now eligible for benefits from farm worker clauses in the G.I. Bill of Rights.

Any veteran who has received an honorable discharge from any of the armed services and has served more than 90 days can file papers which will entitle him to \$65 per month if single or \$90 per month if married.

This work will be under the supervision of the various vocational agriculture teachers in the high schools of the county. All white veterans who are interested in working under this and who live in the Hillsboro area are asked to meet at the agriculture building of the Hillsboro high school Friday, April 26, at 2 p.m. Dowdy will be there and explain fully the program and the benefits to be received.

This Week's ORANGE MAN



GEORGE B. CLINE —Courtesy Journal-Sentinel, Winston-Salem

George B. Cline, manager of the Farmers' Dairy Cooperative which opened in Chapel Hill this week, has had a lifelong connection with the dairy business. He was born on a dairy farm, studied the industry in college and has worked at it ever since, except for the time he spent in the Army.

Raised on a dairy farm in Catawba county near the South Fork river, Mr. Cline says one of the first things he remembers about his childhood is milking his father's cows. He helped organize at an early age the first dairy club in the state and was the club's first president. He and the other youthful members strived to raise superior calves to show in county fairs.

From the farm Cline went to State College, where he graduated in 1926 with one of the first dairy manufacturing degrees awarded by the school. Work at the Pine State Creamery in Raleigh, where he did almost anything that came along, helped pay his way through school.

With his degree safely tucked away, Mr. Cline stayed at State for another year to work with the college's dairy extension bureau, then went to Winston-Salem as city milk inspector, a post he held for nearly 12 years. Following this he helped organize and was manager of the Farmers' Cooperative Dairy there for over three years.

Then came Uncle Sam's call for his Army reserves. Cline, a major in the infantry reserve, went on active duty in April, 1941. He transferred shortly thereafter to the ordnance branch of the Army and saw service at Fort Bragg, Fort Benning, Fort Leavenworth, Kans., and at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. At the latter camp he was commander of its ordnance training battalion. He left to attend the general staff school at Fort Leavenworth, and went back to Maryland where he was inspector of Aberdeen's training center, director of training there and finally regimental commander.

December 21, 1944, saw his release from active duty. Since then, before coming to take over the Chapel Hill plant, he has worked with a marketing organization for dairy farmers in Durham.

Mr. Cline is married to the former Miss Georgia Stewart and has three children—Barbara, George, Jr., and Linda Lou. He and his family have built a home on Westwood drive in Chapel Hill. He is a member of the Methodist church and the Rotary club.

ONE RECRUIT

It was announced yesterday by St. Sgt. Edward W. Chabot, local U. S. Army recruiter, that Jesse D. Batton of Rt. 2, Hillsboro, has enlisted in the Regular Army, unassigned, for 18 months, subject to physical approval at Ft. Bragg.

they are eligible for. All Negro veterans desiring to enroll or find out more about the program are asked to contact the vocational agriculture teacher of Orange County Training School at Chapel Hill.

Men who have ruled ineligible for benefits by the state Unemployment Compensation are urged to apply for this farm training.

To qualify for these benefits each veteran must receive a minimum of 200 hours instruction per year from any of the vocational agriculture teachers in the state. The teachers will also call upon each of the enrollees and help him with the application of the teaching he is receiving.

The veterans Administration will also pay for any books or special tools that the program might call for. The training is available as soon as the eligibility of the veteran is certified by the Veterans' administration, and the money benefits begin to flow to the training starts.